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Information Service, and Professional Insurance Agents, but with amendment, which I'll offer shortly, those positions of neutrality certainly continue as neutrality but that their concerns have been answered and they're...they understand that the bill will pass without their objection. Let me put it that The general notion is quarter on your registration; get the insurance companies, which now in 20 other states are dumping this information into these kinds of databases, will provide this data to us. This data will allow us to do driver's license plates by mail, it will allow us to do them by e-mail, it will allow us to do them on line. We should be able to save people time, energy, effort in tracking down those cards making sure that they're up to date when dealing with the Department of Motor Vehicles. There is a task force that the DMV Director will establish to advise her of the appropriate information to ask and the right protocols to use, although the Director will do this by rules and regs, but they will do it with consultation with the industry to make sure that we ask essentially for the right information and the information in forms that make it easy to produce from the insurance companies, and that was one of the concerns that insurance companies had, that they not be asked for unique or strange iterations of information that would cost them money. They are now doing this for 18 or 20 other states. So long as we ask for appropriate information, it won't be difficult for them to comply. They just wanted to make sure that the DMV was asking for the right kind of information and that's why there's a task force. would ask for the advancement of the bill. There are committee amendments and there's at least two other amendments, one that I have offered to Senator Chambers as a compromise and one which I have done in contemplation of some changes that have been brought to me by the lobby that I have accepted, and I'll explain those when we get to them. Thank you, Senator Wickersham.

SENATOR WICKERSHAM: Thank you. Mr. Clerk, do we have items on the bill?

CLERK: Mr. President, first of all, we have Transportation and Telecommunications Commuttee amendments.